PATENT APPLICATION

# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Guy LEMOINE, *et al.*

Appln. No.: 09/938,860

Confirmation No.: 2155

Filed: August 27, 2001

Group Art Unit: 1714

Examiner: Peter A. SZEKELY

Attorney Docket No.: Q65875

For:   SYNTHETIC BITUMEN OIL-WATER EMULSIONS, THEIR PREPARATION AND
       THEIR APPLICATIONS

## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 16, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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## EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee is:

| | After Amendment | | Highest No. Previously Paid For | | | | | | |
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| All Claims | 31 | - | 25 | = | 6 | X | $18.00 | = | $108.00 |
| Independent | 2 | - | 3 | = | | X | $84.00 | = | $.00 |
| | | | | | **TOTAL** | | | = | **$108.00** |

Please charge the statutory fee of $108.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The USPTO is also directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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